

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION of: DENNIS L. MONTGOMERY Confirmation Number: 6817

Application No.: 09/727,096

Group Art Unit: 2165

Filed: November 29, 2000

Examiner: H. Mahmoudi

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ENCODING INFORMATION USING
MULTIPLE PASSES AND DECODING IN A SINGLE PASS

AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL

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Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action mailed October 26, 2005

Request for Extension of Time

Applicant requests a three-month extension of time from January 26, 2006 to the date hereof to submit this Amendment. The Director is authorized to charge the requisite small entity three-month extension fee of \$510.00 to Deposit Acct. 03-3975.

Please amend the above-identified application as follows: